GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5821
ANSWERED ON:26.04.2001
SUPPLY OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS TO M.P.
RAMANAND SINGH

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of diesel, petrol and kerosene and natural gas supplied every month to the State of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) whether the supply is less than the demand; and

(c) if so, the steps taken to meet the demand ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) : Details are annexed.

ANNEXURE

DETAILS IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5821 FOR REPLY ON 26TH A 2001 REGARDING SUPPLY OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS TO M.P.

(a): The quantity of sales of Diesel, Petrol and Kerosene through Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies in the State of Madhya Pradesh during 1999-2000 month-wise is given below :-

(figures in TMT)

Product	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Total
MS	24.3	24.3	23.3	21.5	21.0	20.4	22.5	24.1	24.1	24.6	25.9	26.0	282.0
Kerosene	56.8	55.2	55.3	55.3	55.4	55.6	55.8	55.6	55.5	55.4	55.8	55.9	667.8
HSD	205.0	211.9	226.0	177.9	155.6	159.5	191.5	221.6	220.9	198.2	193.4	203.9	2365.6

The average current supply of natural gas to the State of Madhya Pradesh is about 3.5 Million Metric Standard Cubic Metres per Day (MMSCMD).

(b) & (c) : While Petrol and Diesel are available in the market under sales through the Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies and their demand is being met in full. Kerosene for Public Distribution System is an allocated product.Sale of Kerosene under the Parallel Marketing Scheme (PMS) is also allowed by the Government to supplement Kerosene supplied under Public Distribution System. With regard to the augmentation of supply of natural gas, it is proposed to import LNG at Dahej through Petronet LNG Limited (PLL) (a Joint Venture Company promoted by GAIL, IOCL, BPCL and ONGCL) and to link Dahej with the HBJ System.